U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

invites you to attend the

Business Development Mission to INDIA

SAVE THE DATES: November 29 - December 5, 2006

APPLICATION DEADLINE: October 2, 2006

Gain a competitive edge in the global economy!

India, the world's fastest growing free-market democracy, presents lucrative opportunities for all types of businesses - especially U.S. companies.

In 2005, U.S. merchandise exports to India were almost \$8 billion, doubled since 2002. U.S. companies have the chance to make or increase sales in this booming market by joining the U.S. Department of Commerce's International Trade Administration Business Development Mission to India.

Led by the U.S. Department of Commerce's Under Secretary for the International Trade Administration, Franklin L. Lavin, the Business Mission is also coordinated by the U.S. Commercial Service in the United States and India. We expect this business mission to have the largest delegation ever led by a U.S. official.

The Mission has two parts:

- ·The Mumbai Business Summit
- · Spin-off missions to key cities

Spread the word to the business community!

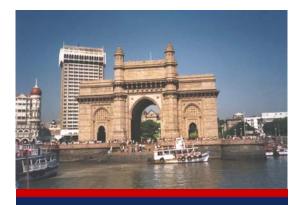
Don't miss this incredible opportunity to participate in the mission and explore India's markets. Help us to spread the word by doing one of the following:

- \cdot Request business mission flyers for upcoming meeting or trade show
- · Distribute the attached electronic brochure to your members
- ·Add our link to your website: www.export.gov/Indiamission
- · Add our business mission to your events calendar
- ·Organize a conference call for your members to be briefed on business opportunities in India (and we will provide the speakers)

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The Mumbai Business Summit

November 29-30, 2006 Gain access to India's high-level business, industry, and government representatives and opportunities to gain insights into the country's trade and investment climate during strategic breakout sessions.

Spin-off Missions/ Endless Business Opportunities

December 4-5, 2006
Narrow your focus and get serious about India by continuing on to Bangalore, Kolkata, Chennai, Hyderabad, Mumbai, or New Delhi. The U.S. Commercial Service will arrange market briefings, networking receptions, and one-on-one business appointments with prospective agents, distributors, partners, and end-users for each U.S. company.





